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WEDNESDAY EVE., NOV. 7, 1888.

HARRISON ELECTED.

FIFER ELECTED.

A REPUBLICAN SENATE.

The House of Representatives Republican by Twenty-five.

The Republican party has emerged from its retirement. It will assume control of the government on the fourth of next March, with a Republican president and a Congress Republican in both branches. The Senate will have a majority of one or two, with a Republican vice president in the chair. The House will not have less than 25 majority, and the White House will have in it one of the brainiest and best men in America, who has not a Democratic instinct. In Illinois Private Joe will worthily succeed Gov. Oglesby, although Chicago acted so badly, and will stand between the Anarchists and the people, as did Glorious Uncle Dick, although the people of that vacillating city did not rally to his support as they ought. The legislature of Illinois will be Republican, and will re-elect Gov. Cullom to the Senate. The Illinois delegation in congress will be politically the same as at present.

Macon county elects the full Republican ticket, and at present the appearances favor the idea that both Keller and Kretzinger are elected.

There is glory enough for one day. Republicans have a right to feel good. They have been in the back ground a good while, they are thoroughly rested, and they will be fresh and vigorous as they take the places that the smaller men of the land have been rattling around in for four years.

"Hurrah, hurrah, we bring the jubilee,
Hurrah, hurrah, the flag that makes you free,
So we sang the chorus from Atlanta to the sea,
While we were marching through Georgia."

EVERYTHING goes, from Ben to Bendure.

AND Private Joe got there, in spite of the anarchist vote in Chicago.

DEMOCRATIC headquarters are closed for repairs.

PALMER had just 49 votes more than Cleveland in Decatur.

THE St. Nicholas Hotel is to have a new coat of paint—a fashionable color.

ACCORDING to our present figures Keller is ahead of Hill in this county 791½ votes.

IN Macon county Palmer leads Cleveland 108 votes. We predicted that it would not exceed 100.

JOHN LINDSAY and his son, we observe from the returns of the 9th district, both voted for Farmer Jones for governor.

"OLD MAC," despite his years is the dandy runner of the county. What could he have done fifty years ago?

JESSE BENDURE's first official act will be to hold an inquest on the most decomposed body that ever graced a coroner's table.

THE scheme of the Prohibitionists, to vote for Fisk and then pull as many as possible of their adherents over to Mr. Prohibitionist Palmer, was made to work in a good many voting precincts.

THE Republican Prohibitionists voted for Capt. Harts, their own candidate, while the Democratic Prohibitionists voted for Palmer. When the official vote of this county is completed compare Capt. Harts' loss with Palmer's gain, and see if this statement is not true.

CHICAGO is a cranky city as well as a windy city. You can never safely prophecy what it will do from what it has done. It hung the anarchists with a vim, and in less than a year afterwards gave a majority for the candidate who represented the sympathizers with them. Great is Chicago and great are the anarchists.

THE count last night revealed a good many patchwork tickets—ballots manufactured by pasting the names of the Fisk electors at the head of a straight Democratic state and county ticket. We were satisfied over a week ago that this scheme would be worked by those who were so anxious to cast a vote for Thank God Brooks, because he had never been a Republican, and for Palmer because he had been and got out. Queer fellows, these men who vote on principle so vociferously.

McClellan.

The main fight of the Macon county Democracy was aimed at Clerk McClellan. At him they fired their most fragrant Chinese weapons, and stopped at nothing that might operate, in their opinion, to his disadvantage. A long and useful life formed no barrier against their vile attacks. He was stigmatized in every was possible to the minds of the inventors of choice billingsgate, and the swords of the valiant Democratic warriors drip yet the nastiness of the mess in which they stirred. In view of the facts the figures of the election must be exceedingly pleasant reading to the fellows who were so prominent in their efforts to "bury McClellan." A vote much larger than Harrison's was the result of all this effort. The mountain that was in labor brought forth not merely a mouse, but a mouse that had long been dead. It must be intensely gratifying to the mud-slingers, and we congratulate them upon the results of their herculean efforts, their cartloads of circulars, their prid clacquers and their windy orators.

What Harrison Did.

An eastern paper, which seems to have kept tab on Mr. Harrison, estimates that he has shaken hands with 110,000 people. He shakes with a pump-handle movement up and down, and the paper figures that his hand covers a space of six feet in each stake, and reaches the interesting conclusion that his hand has traveled up to date 660,000 feet, or something over eleven miles. Think of the labor involved, the useless strain upon the poor man, and the great wear and tear this necessitates. In the case of Mrs. Cleveland it has made one of her hands larger than the other and she has been forced to resort to a sort of private gymnastics to strengthen and enlarge the left hand in order to make it keep pace with the right.

THE FIAT OF FATE.

Cleveland's Proverbial Luck Deserts Him at the Crucial Moment.

The Returns Indicate the Triumphant Election of Harrison and Morton.

The Head of the Republican Ticket Suddenly Expands to the Dimensions of "Grandfather's Hat."

The People of the Country Seemingly Satisfied with the American System of Protection.

Comments of the Press on the Unexpected Result in Some Quarters.

Table Showing the Probable Composition of the Electoral Vote by States.

The New York Press on the Result and Its Causes.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The *Herald* this morning says:

At the hour of going to press with our first edition the probabilities indicate the election of General Harrison to the presidency. This opinion is based upon dispatches received from all the States in the Union, and which may be divided as follows:

Cleveland—Alabama, Arkansas, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, Missouri, New Jersey, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia and West Virginia—deduct 168.

Harrison—Colorado, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New York, Vermont and Wisconsin—207.

Doubtful—California, Nevada and Indiana—26.

Total votes in electoral college, 401; necessary to elect, 201.

Conceding the states of Connecticut and New Jersey to Mr. Cleveland, and regarding Indiana, California and Nevada as doubtful, General Harrison has a majority in the electoral college.

The figures show the election of David B. Hill as Governor, and of Hugh J. Grant as mayor. Mr. Hill has made a strong canvass. The nomination of Mr. Hewitt had the effect which his supporters principally feared, namely, the defeat of Mr. Cleveland by the action of the Democratic forces in New York.

The political lesson of the election is that the National economy of the Democratic party has been sacrificed to the ambition of David B. Hill and Abram S. Hewitt, and the tariff reform Democrats throughout the country should lay to heart it, that in this state of affairs the possession of the executive patronage of New York City is of far more importance than the government of the Union.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The *Tribune* this morning says: The result in this State is not yet certain, but the prospects strongly favor a victory for Harrison and Morton. The plurality for Cleveland below the Harlem river, instead of the 80,000 or 85,000 so liberally expected by Democrats, appears to barely reach 70,000. Outside of New York City and Kings County, the Republican gains have been thus far nearly with equal additional report of election returns. The proportion of those cities at the hour of writing is such that it could not throughout the State they would insure the victory of Harrison and Morton electors by a handsome plurality.

"Returns from other States justify the belief at the hour of writing that Harrison and Morton will have a majority of the electoral vote. [illegible] will not elect those of New York. Connecticut [illegible] is now believed to have chosen Harrison electors. The friends of the General in the West confidently claim Indiana, [illegible] the returns are as yet necessarily incomplete."

"New Jersey seems to have look favorable, but there is every indication that any other Northern State has chosen Cleveland electors. With Indiana and Connecticut the Republican candidates would probably [illegible] even though the result in full should disappoint the hopes based on the returns thus far received."

The *World* says: "At this edition of the *World* goes to press (2 a. m.) the indications are that Harrison will have a great plurality. The gains he is making in the State promise to wipe out the 74,000 plurality for Cleveland on Tuesday of the Harlem, and leave him a [illegible] of three or five thousand. Upon the basis the election of Harrison is assured must in conceded. The Democrats a few Western States may be added to the Democratic column can hardly be reached. Illinois, Michigan and Indiana will probably atone for the loss of New York and Connecticut. Indiana is very close, both parties claiming it. Connecticut has passed to the Republican column. New Jersey is the Republican column, which never [illegible] the Democracy in a National contest, [illegible] her plurality for Cleveland, but the Republicans have carried the day, and the party which four years ago triumphantly swept the country bows to the decree.

The *Sun* this morning says: When a party deliberately buries out of sight the principles on which it was founded and of which it has been for a century the custodian and master, when it sends some of its best men to the rear, and surrenders the management of its affairs to a syndicate of crooked intellects and theorist-enthusiasts with just enough shrewdness to hide disguise their ultimate purposes, when it stands on politics in the same sense and makes itself an engine for the promulgation of a theory—in short, when it goes in for an educational canvass, somebody is bound to be educated. That is what happened yesterday. The great mass of the Democrats, sound to the core, loyal as ever to the essence and eternal truth of its creed, hopeful even in defeat and confident and unshaken this dismal November morning is the victim of the educational campaign. It has been educated with a vengeance, and at a tremendous expense. It has learned its lesson and is not likely to forget the same. For ourself we believe that we could to check the tide of the past twelve months. We have seen very clearly the event to which it tended. The Democrat-

c party's face is toward the future, and its wafted words are "courage and hope."

The *Times* says: "At one o'clock this morning the election returns received by the *Times* from the interior of the State shows diminishing gains for Harrison, and it is by no means certain that the full returns will not altogether destroy the plurality that the early figures indicated for him and give the State to Mr. Cleveland. Connecticut, New Jersey and Indiana are Democratic by safe pluralities, and there is reason to expect that the latter is [illegible] in Illinois will make Indiana sure, if they do not actually [illegible] the Democratic column. In the [illegible] we can not concede the election of Harrison."

The *Star* says: "While at the hour of writing it is impossible to determine by precisely how many the popular votes the choice of Cleveland for President for the second time has been made, there is no good reason to doubt that the people of the United States have commissioned him to continue for a further term his good work of governmental reform and tax reduction."

Indiana Still in Doubt.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 7, 2 A. M.—From official returns yet received, supplemented by private advices, the indications are that the election is in doubt. The localities yet to hear from are Republican strongholds. The Republican plurality, if any, will be small. It will be at least noon before some reliable estimate of the vote of Indiana can be made.

How General Harrison Received the Result.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 7.—General Harrison retired at two o'clock without awaiting any further news from New York or other States, after leaving instructions that no announcement was to be made. Mr. Fifer is expected to be down to see him and to make his feelings regarding the election at any time during the evening.

General Harrison's Assistant Private Secretary Considered.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 7.—Will C. Doyle, a well-known and popular young Republican, who was secretary to W. Wade Hyde, private secretary to General Harrison, was attacked by a drunken man in Circle Square and so badly cut and beaten. He was taken to his home and died in a dying condition. He never recovered.

The Next House of Representatives.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The *Tribune* this morning says the indications are that the next House of Representatives will be Republican by twenty to twenty-five majority.

New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Two hundred and nine election districts in New York State outside of New York and Kings County: Cleveland, 6,[illegible]; Harrison, 6,[illegible]; Fiske, 5,[illegible]. Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 7,[illegible]; Blaine, 6,[illegible]; St. John, 5,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Four hundred and six election districts in New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 7,[illegible]; Harrison, [illegible]; Fiske, [illegible]. Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 67,[illegible]; Blaine, [illegible]; St. John, [illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Two hundred and [illegible] election districts in New York State outside of New York and Kings Counties: Cleveland, [illegible]; Harrison, [illegible]; Fiske, [illegible]. Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, [illegible]; Blaine, [illegible]; St. John, [illegible]; Daven[illegible]

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Two hundred and nine election districts in New York State outside of New York and Kings Counties: Cleveland, [illegible]; Harrison, [illegible]; Fiske, [illegible]. Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, [illegible]; Blaine, [illegible]; St. John, [illegible]; Jones, [illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 49 election districts in New York State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 7,436; Harrison, 9,422; Fiske, 479.

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 8,781; Blaine, 9,856; St. John, 524.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 50 election districts in New York State outside of New York City and Kings County: Hill, 7,529; Miller, 10,609; Jones, 512.

Same districts in 1885: Hill, 6,414; Davenport, 8,738; Buscom, 495.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 63 election districts in New York State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 10,827; Harrison, 13,324; Fisk, 678.

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 11,678; Blaine, 13,173; St. John, 674.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 73 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 11,175; Harrison, 15,022; Fiske, 738.

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 12,414; Blaine, 13,119; St. John, 793.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 81 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 13,021; Harrison, 17,[illegible]; Fiske, [illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 14,185; Blaine, 15,[illegible]; St. John, 849.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 92 election districts in the State outside of New York City and King's County: Cleveland, 14,939; Harrison, 19,969; Fiske, 1,029.

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 16,133; Blaine, 19,[illegible]; St. John, 941.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 104 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 18,372; Harrison, 21,[illegible]; Fiske, 1,271.

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 19,370; Blaine, 23,[illegible]; St. John, 1,197.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 114 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 20,[illegible]; Harrison, 26,[illegible]; Fiske, 1,[illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 21,002; Blaine, 25,[illegible]; St. John, 1,341.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 69 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Hill, 12,[illegible]; Miller, 14,544; Jones, [illegible].

Same districts in 1885: Hill, 8,64[illegible]; Davenport, 11,9[illegible]; Buscom, [illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 91 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Hill, 15,288; Miller, 19,928; Jones, 1,1[illegible].

Same districts in 1885: Hill, 12,434; Davenport, 16,502; Buscom, 1,162.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 140 out of 856 election districts: Edmonds, 8,[illegible]; Grant, 14,718; Hewitt, 6,735; Concin, [illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 123 elections districts in the State, outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 22,935; Harrison, 30,472; Fiske, [illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 24,077; Blaine, 29,931; St. John, 1,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 146 election districts in the State, outside of New York City and Kings County: Hill, 29,688; Miller, 37,852; Jones, 2,[illegible].

Same districts in 1885: Hill, 23,172; Davenport, 29,139; Buscom, 2,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 153 election districts in the State, outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 26,908; Harrison 32,[illegible]; Fiske, 1,[illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 27,370; Blaine, 33,[illegible]; St. John, 1,144.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 161 election districts in the State, outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 28,282; Harrison, 32,029; Fiske, 2,134.

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 29,015; Blaine, 36,[illegible]; St. John, 1,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 165 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Hill, 36,[illegible]; Miller, 36,831; Jones, 2,[illegible].

Same districts in 1885: Hill, 33,644; Davenport, 39,812; Buscom, 2,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 175 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 30,430; Harrison, 40,078; Fiske, 2,[illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 30,947; Blaine, 38,[illegible]; St. John, 2,001.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 185 election districts in the State outside of New York and Kings County: Cleveland, 31,[illegible]; Harrison, 42,189; Fiske, 2,[illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 32,325; Blaine, 41,[illegible]; St. John, 2,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 203 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 33,397; Harrison, 45,[illegible]; Fiske, 2,[illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 34,650; Blaine, 43,[illegible]; St. John, 2,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 210 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 35,950; Harrison, 48,[illegible]; Fiske, [illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 36,165; Blaine, 46,[illegible]; St. John, 2,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 244 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 41,371; Harrison, 56,[illegible]; Fiske, 2,[illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 41,138; Blaine, 53,[illegible]; St. John, 2,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 251 election districts in New York State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 42,484; Harrison, 59,[illegible]; Fiske, 2,[illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 43,021; Blaine, 55,[illegible]; St. John, [illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 270 election districts in New York State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 47,089; Harrison, 63,[illegible]; Fiske, 3,[illegible].

Same district in 1884: Cleveland, 46,216; Blaine, 59,[illegible]; St. John, 3,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 288 election districts in New York State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 49,691; Harrison, [illegible]; Fiske, [illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 49,159; Blaine, 62,[illegible]; St. John, 3,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 326 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 56,725; Harrison, 75,[illegible]; Fiske, [illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 55,089; Blaine, [illegible]; St. John, [illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 172 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Hill, 29,688; Miller, 37,852; Jones, 2,[illegible].

Same districts in 1885: Hill, 24,139; Davenport, [illegible]; Buscom, 2,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 175 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 190,618; Harrison, 164,[illegible]; Fiske, [illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 122,267; Blaine, [illegible]; St. John, 7,[illegible].

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—There are 2,109 election districts in the State, outside of New York City and Kings County.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—In 952 election districts in the State outside of New York City and Kings County: Cleveland, 189,[illegible]; Harrison [illegible]; Fiske, [illegible].

Same districts in 1884: Cleveland, 174,138; Blaine, [illegible]; St. John, [illegible].

BROOKLYN, Nov. 6.—With 20 out of 375 districts: Cleveland, [illegible]; Harrison, 49,671; Fiske, 975. For Governor in 240 districts: Hill, 63,702; Miller, [illegible]; Jones, [illegible].

Republican claims complete: Cleveland, 79,736; Harrison, [illegible]; Fiske, 1,[illegible]. For Governor in [illegible] districts: Hill, 73,076; Miller, [illegible]; Jones, [illegible].

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., Nov. 6.—Amsterdam city and town, complete: Harrison, 716 majority, a Republican gain of [illegible].

Missouri.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 6.—In 20 precincts in the Ninth Congressional district: Castleman, 4,810; Pearis, 2,[illegible].

Full returns in the Eighth Congressional district: O'Neill, Dem., 3,532; Niedringhaus, Rep., 5,[illegible].

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 6.—In the Ninth ward, complete: Harrison, 1,[illegible]; Cleveland, 822; Kimball, 1,[illegible]; Kinsella, [illegible]; Pearce, 771; Clardy, 795. Republican gain [illegible] over the Blair vote.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 6.—In 12 precincts in the North Carondelet district: Cleveland, 1,891; Harrison, [illegible]; Fisher, [illegible]; Kimball, 1,774; Castleman, [illegible]; Frank, [illegible].

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 6.—In 30 precincts and one county, complete, outside of St. Louis: Cleveland, 4,998; Harrison, 4,367; Francis, 4,814; Kimball, 4,423; Fiske, 26; Streeter, 58.

Same in 1884: Cleveland, 4,506; Blaine, 3,752.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 6.—In 38 scattering precincts: Cleveland, 5,738; Harrison, 7,027; Francis, 5,640; Kimball, 8,236.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 6.—In 26 precincts: Cleveland, 3,922; Harrison, 4,886; Francis, 3,729; Kimball, 5,343.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 6.—In 36 city precincts out of 152: Cleveland, 5,420; Harrison, 7,305; Francis, 5,289; Kimball, 7,874.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 6.—In 21 precincts and one complete county outside of St. Louis: Cleveland, 3,696; Harrison, 3,649; Francis, 3,513; Kimball, 3,068; Fiske, 26; Streeter, 58.

Same precincts in 1884: Cleveland, 3,347; Blaine, 2,430.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 6.—In 36 precincts, towns and one county complete in Missouri: Cleveland, 6,297; Harrison, 5,761; Francis, 6,081; Kimball, 5,870; Fiske, 37; Streeter, 58.

Same precincts in 1884: Cleveland, 5,738; Blaine, 4,996.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 6.—In 59 precincts, towns and one county complete outside St. Louis: Cleveland, 8,017; Harrison, 7,986; Francis, 9,940; Kimball, 9,031; Fiske, 37; Streeter, 112.

Same in 1884: Cleveland, 8,572; Blaine, 8,147.

Illinois.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—83 precincts in 21 counties in Illinois outside of Cook County show a net Republican gain of 1,069 for President. Entire vote of State outside of Cook County in 1884 showed a Republican plurality of 16,185; estimated Republican plurality in Cook County for President, from 1,000 to 2,000; estimated Democratic plurality for Governor in Cook County, 3,000.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—In 204 precincts in Chicago: Harrison, 30,877; Cleveland, 53,099; Fifer, 30,179; Palmer, 56,111.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—In 78 precincts in Chicago: Harrison, 10,033; Cleveland, 11,469; Fifer, Rep., Governor, 9,713; Palmer, Dem., Governor, 11,815. No comparison can be made on account of change in precincts.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—In 59 precincts, outside of Chicago, in 14 counties, shows a net Republican gain for President of 866. In 29 precincts in Cook County, outside of Chicago: Harrison, 5,207; Cleveland, 4,153.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—Harrison, 47,099; Cleveland, 49,073; Fifer, 46,510; Palmer, 59,057.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—Returns outside of Chicago very meagre. The few townships heard from show slight Republican gains for President, but Republican Governor falling behind.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—In 42 precincts out of 341 in Chicago: Harrison, 11,466; Cleveland, 16,178.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 6.—Returns come in very slowly. In Pulaski County and Little Rock, Harrison's majority is 191. Can get nothing definite from the State to-night.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 6.—Chairman Usher of the Democratic State central committee has 58 scattering precincts giving a net Democratic gain of 1,842. Payne, of the Republican State central committee, says the returns are too meagre to give estimates.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—In 121 precincts in Chicago: Harrison, 22,193; Cleveland, 23,146; Fifer, 21,569; Palmer, 23,892.

New Hampshire.

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 6.—Vote in 25 towns and cities: Harrison, 2,930; Cleveland, 3,049.

Same places in 1884: Blaine, 2,911; Cleveland, 2,930.

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 6.—Vote in 25 towns and cities: Harrison, 2,930; Cleveland, 3,049.

Same places in 1884: Blaine, 2,911; Cleveland, 2,930.

CONCORD, Nov. 6.—In 65 towns and cities in New Hampshire: Harrison, 8,326; Cleveland, 8,328.

Same places in 1881: Blaine, 7,736; Cleveland, 7,988.

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 6.—1 A. M.—The indications are that Harrison's plurality in the State will be about 3,000, with a majority for Goodell for Governor of nearly 2,000.

Massachusetts.

BOSTON, Nov. 6.—In figuring the relative gains of the presidential candidates, it must be considered that in 1884 Butler received 24,000 votes in this State, which this year are divided between the regular candidates. This makes it almost impossible to compute the respective gains or losses of the Republicans and Democrats with accuracy.

BOSTON, Nov. 6.—In 81 precincts in this city: Cleveland, 27,473; Harrison, 18,917; Russell, 27,538; Ames, 18,469.

BOSTON, Nov. 6.—In 100 towns in Massachusetts: Harrison, 28,285; Cleveland, 19,548; Fiske, 1,573.

Same towns in 1884: Blaine, 24,095; Cleveland, 17,732; Butler, 3,610; St. John, 1,631.

These towns give for Governor: Ames, 27,929; Russell, 19,397; Earle, 1,481.

BOSTON, Nov. 6.—Boston's vote complete: Harrison, 27,812; Cleveland, 36,759.

Ohio.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 6.—In Ohio, 435 precincts give a net Democratic gain of 1,745; total vote, 156,787.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 6.—In 217 precincts net Democratic gain 989; total vote 75,312.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 6.—In 315 precincts net Democratic gain, 1,513; total vote 111,690.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 6.—In 355 precincts the net Democratic gain is 1,724. The Republicans claim both Congressmen from Cincinnati.

Michigan.

DETROIT, Nov. 6.—In 20 districts outside of Detroit: Harrison, 2,950; Cleveland, 2,618; Fiske, 215. A Republican gain of 96.

DETROIT, Nov. 6.—In 50 districts outside of Detroit: Harrison, 8,256; Cleveland, 7,166; Luce, Rep., 8,213; Burt, Dem., 7,271. Democratic gain, 922.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 6.—In 30 districts outside of the city: Cleveland, 2,618; Harrison 2,950; Fiske, 215. Republican gain, 96.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 6.—The vote in 11 precincts outside of Milwaukee shows a Democratic gain of 11.

Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 6.—In 20 precincts in Indiana: Harrison, 2,064; Cleveland, 1,558.

Same precincts in 1881: Blaine, 1,938; Cleveland, 1,580.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 6.—A very heavy vote has been polled in this city.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 6.—In 30 precincts in Indiana: Harrison, 1,[illegible]; Cleveland, 2,674.

Same precincts in 1881: Blaine, 3,123; Cleveland, 2,569.

Connecticut.

HARTFORD, Conn., Nov. 6.—The *Post* has returns from 134 towns, showing Republican gain of 1,324 over 1881. Same rate of gain in remaining towns will give Harrison the State by about 450. Republicans elect three Congressmen and probably four legislative representatives.

HARTFORD, Conn., Nov. 6.—Fifty-eight towns show net gain for Harrison of 1,484.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—One hundred and thirty-six towns in Connecticut give a Republican gain of 886. The 27 towns to be heard from gave a plurality of 692 in 1884. If the same plurality is given this year, Harrison will carry the State by 108 plurality.

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 6.—Complete returns from this State, except one town, give Cleveland 74,815; Harrison, 74,476; Fiske, 3,879; scattering, 93. These returns were collected by the Connecticut Telephone Company.

HARTFORD, Conn., Nov. 6.—In 167 towns, including Hartford and New Haven, Harrison's gain is 1,346.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 6.—The returns are coming in slowly, only 7 precincts in the State being heard from, all in different counties. They give Harrison 93, Cleveland 147. The same precincts in 1884 gave Blaine 63, Cleveland, 127. Nothing can be given out as to the San Francisco vote before midnight. Los Angeles polled a heavy vote. A badly-scratched count shows nothing definite.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 6.—Polls closed at 10:30 p. m., Eastern time, consequently very late.

Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 6.—The indications are that the State has gone for Harrison by 50,000 majority.

Vermont.

MONTPELIER, Nov. 6.—Returns show large Republican gain over 1884.

Iowa.

DES MOINES, Nov. 6.—In 109 precincts: Harrison, 11,452; Cleveland, 10,022.

DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 6.—The State Republican ticket is probably elected by 15,000 to 20,000 majority.

DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 6.—In 40 precincts in Iowa: Harrison, 6,513; Cleveland, 4,142; Fiske, 120. Semi-official returns, 12 counties and cities.

Wisconsin.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 6.—In 106 towns outside of Milwaukee, show a Republican gain of 62.

North Carolina.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 6.—Forty precincts out of 1,100 shows Democratic gain of 311. Cleveland makes a gain of 399 in Rowan County.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 6.—Returns from 37 precincts out of 1,100 show Democratic gain of 210.

RALEIGH, Nov. 6.—Fifty-four precincts give Democratic gains of 304.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 6.—Returns from 127 precincts in this State show a Democratic gain of 1,175.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 6.—In 81 precincts out of 1,100 (North Carolina) gives a Democratic gain of 1,217.

Tennessee.

NASHVILLE, Nov. 6.—Third Congressional district, Nashville, doubtful. Chances favor the Democrats. Republican Congressman elected in Chattanooga district by 2,000 majority.

Virginia.

RICHMOND, Nov. 6.—This city gives 1,600 majority for the Democrats. The estimated votes in 12 counties and cities indicate a Democratic loss of 1,200 to 1,900.

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 6.—Virginia indicates a Democratic loss of 1,600. Sixth district Virginia elects Edmunds, Democrat; district represented last by Hopkins, Labor candidate.

Florida.

JACKSONVILLE, Nov. 6.—This city and county are close. The Democrats make gains in Middle and West Florida. Fleming is elected Governor on the Democratic ticket. Bullock, for Congress, Democrat, in the Second district, is doubtful. The vote so far as received indicates that the State has gone for Cleveland.

Georgia.

ATLANTA, Nov. 6.—The indications are that Cleveland's majority in the State will be 25,000. A solid Democratic Congress dual delegation is elected.

Kentucky.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 6.—Indications fine. Republican majority in Eleventh district by an increased majority. All other districts look Democratic.

West Virginia.

WHEELING, Nov. 6.—Nothing definite in yet.

Alabama.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 6.—The Democrats claim the State by 30,000 majority and all the Congressmen.

The Electoral Vote.

	Harrison	Cleveland
Alabama	....	10
Arkansas	....	7
California	8	....
Colorado	3	....
Connecticut	6	....
Delaware	....	3
Florida	....	4
Georgia	....	12
Illinois	22	....
*Indiana	....	15
Iowa	13	....
Kansas	9	....
Kentucky	....	12
Louisiana	....	8
Maine	6	....
Maryland	....	8
Massachusetts	14	....
Michigan	13	....
Minnesota	7	....
Mississippi	....	9
Missouri	....	16
Nebraska	5	....
Nevada	3	....
New Hampshire	4	....
New Jersey	....	9
New York	36	....
North Carolina	....	11
Ohio	23	....
Oregon	3	....
Pennsylvania	30	....
Rhode Island	4	....
South Carolina	....	9
Tennessee	....	12
Texas	....	13
Vermont	4	....
Virginia	....	12
West Virginia	....	6
Wisconsin	11	....
Totals	224	177
Majority	47	

*Indiana is credited to Cleveland in this table, but full returns will probably show that Harrison has carried that State.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Advices from Shanghai say that the King of Corea has demanded the removal of the Chinese resident at Seoul.

—Advices have been received from Constantinople to the effect that the government there is expecting a revolt in Servia.

—In the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania Justice Williams decided that the Mechanics' Lien law was unconstitutional.

—On the success of the German squadron's attempt to re-occupy the East African coast, will depend the sending of an inland expedition.

Frederick A. Potts, president of the New York, Susquehanna & Western Railroad Company, is very sick at the house of his son in New York City.

—Henry Lindeman, of Albany, N. Y., a laborer, aged forty, shot and killed his fourteen year-old son Willie yesterday, for quarreling with his brother.

—A London telegram of the 6th says: "Severe gales are prevailing on the coast of Great Britain. Many wrecks of vessels are reported but no lives are known to be lost as yet."

—Captain James C. Daly, the Irish giant and well-known boxer and athlete, has posted $500 with the *Police Gazette* and accepted Duncan C. Ross' challenge to wrestle for $1,000 a side.

—English and German gun-boats have been ordered to Formosa to protect the interests of foreigners there. A rebellion has broken out among the Chinese residents against taxation.

—The Treasury Department has ruled that "benedictine" is dutiable at two dollars per gallon and three cents per bottle and not at the rate of fifty per cent ad valorem, as a proprietory cordial.

—Mr. Gladstone, replying to a deputation which called on him yesterday at Birmingham, said that he considered it his duty not to retire from public life so long as the Irish question remained unsettled.

—A Russian company is being formed with a capital of 100,000,000 roubles for the construction of docks and ship building yards at the principal Russian ports. The head office of the company will be at Kieff.

—Wm. Parkes, register of deeds of Nelson County, Dak., has absconded with $16,000, which he secured by mortgaging his property two or three times over, escaping detection by neglecting to index the mortgages.

—The Vienna *Standard Morning Gazette*, in its last edition, declared that Prince Bismarck had asked Emperor William to relieve him of a great portion of his duties, and to appoint in his stead his son, Count Herbert.

—Jem Carney has issued a challenge to Joe Ashliffe in which he says he is ready and willing to fight the American champion in Spain France, Australia or any part of the world for £1,000 or £10,000 a side or as much more as he likes.

Decatur Musical College.

In answer to inquiries as to the grade taken by two of our graduates, Misses Emily Hamsher and Rose Field, now attending the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston, Mass., Dr. Tourjee has very kindly sent me the following statement:

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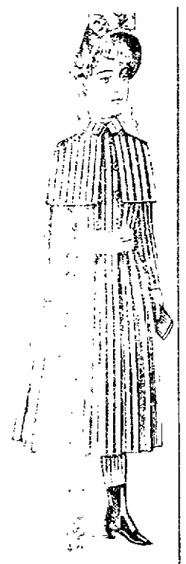

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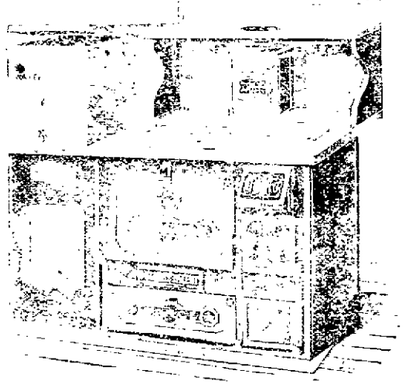

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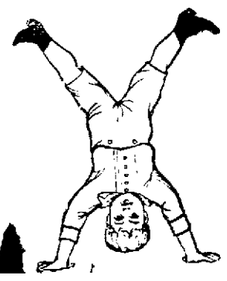

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WEDNESDAY EVE., NOV. 7, 1888.

LOCAL NEWS.

EXHIBITION of the Incandescent 320 Candle Power Oil Lamp to night, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

MANY a man went home this morning at 2 o'clock quite anxious as to the result.

ORDER the Shellabarger White Loaf flour. It will suit you.

THE saloons remained closed all day yesterday. They have been doing some business to-day.

FRESH eggs are selling at 25 cents per dozen.

MOAWEQUA Republicans did great work yesterday. In '84 the township went 2 for Grover; yesterday it went 21 for Ben.

ONE of the pleasantest voting districts in the city is in the eleventh, where the voters can enter a warm room.

FROSTILLA cures roughness of the skin—sold only by Irwin, the druggist.

ALL of the Chicago papers to-day concede Harrison's election. The *Times* headline is "Harrison the Man." Good enough.

STEP in and see C. B. Prescott. He will give you bedrock prices on Haines and Everett pianos.

THE members of the Universalist Church and friends will engage in a sociable to-night at the J. G. Shea residence.

YOU should attend the night session of the Business College. oct3-d1m

SUPERIOR meals at the Logan House on East Main street.

THE Republicans went home at 3 a. m. but the Democrats were so anxious that they stayed up all night.

THE ladies of the First M. E. church will give an entertainment on December 13th and 14th.

THE Knights Templar give a reception at the Commandery Temple on the evening of November 22. About 200 invitations will be extended.

GIVE Johnson & Spence at 150 Merchant street a call. First-class groceries and choice fruits.

THE announcement in last evening's issue of the marriage of Mr. Leach and Miss Dinneen was premature. It will not occur until November 14th.

GIVE Moore Bros. in Opera block a share of your patronage. Splendid groceries and vegetables.

THE Henry Flood farm of 81½ acres, near Forsyth, has been sold to John F. Keister at $80 per acre. Mr. Flood will remove to Stuttgart, Arkansas.

THE new Christian church at Center Ridge, two miles west of Emery, is nearly completed and will be dedicated the third Sunday in November.

JUDGE HUGHES will open court at Charleston in Coles county next Monday. We will hear more about the prosecution of the negro lynchers. A number of prominent citizens have been indicted.

SELECT the choicest family groceries at Hanks & Patterson's complete store on South Water street. Prompt delivery to any part of the city.

THE Madame Valda Concert company will appear at the opera house on the evening of Nov. 20. The celebrated pianist, the Chevalier de Konski, is with the troupe.

SACKVILLE'S time is up but Cleveland will hold on till the 4th of March.

"The boat is coming 'round the bend,
Good-by, old Grover, good-by."
Sackville's gone, you've kicked a friend,
Good-by, old Grover, good-by.

GROCERIES are still selling at cost at Knode & Osborne's store.

LAFE WHITLEY had a turkey dinner bet on the election with Hi Dillehunt, and this morning he is wondering how much of an addition he will have to build on his house to take in all the Republicans who will be on hand. He says he dies hard, though.

THERE are inscribed in the Paris Faculty of Medicine, for the session of 1888, 114 female students—including 1 American, 8 English, 1 Austrian, 1 Greek, 40 Russians, and even 1 fair and "advanced" Turk.

PAULINE LUCCA says that her coming American tour will end her career on the stage. She has bought a villa at Gmunden, where she intends opening a school for opera singers.

A COUNTERFEIT $5 silver certificate is being circulated through the country. It is very well executed, the coloring of the figures, which are blue, being nearly perfect, the weak part about the counterfeit being the portrait of Gen. Grant. The bill is extremely liable to deceive, and banks and business men should be on their guard against it.

IT was once supposed that scrofula could not be eradicated from the system; but the marvelous results produced by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla disprove this theory. The reason is, this medicine is the most powerful blood purifier ever discovered.

Their First Votes.

A majority of the one hundred and thirty-odd young Republicans of Mattoon who this year became entitled to their first presidential vote marched to the polling places at ten o'clock this morning, headed by the Mattoon Drum Corps and carrying the stars and stripes, and deposited their ballots in the boxes for Harrison, Morton, Fifer and protection to American industries. In this act these young voters have done what they can ever point to with pride and exercised their right of franchise in a most intelligent manner.—*Mattoon Journal.*

HOW DO YOU LIKE IT?

Gen. Harrison Goes to the White House ---Grover Goes A-Fishing.

SHOUTING DAY FOR REPUBLICANS.

Democrats Knocked Out in New York.

New York 10,000 to 20,000 Republican—Indiana 5,000 Ditto.

THE LATEST RETURNS—ILLINOIS AND JOE FIFER ALL RIGHT.

This is a day of rejoicing in the North over the triumph of the Republican party at the polls yesterday. The full vote is not yet reported, but enough is known to make the Republicans feel joyful and shout for President Harrison and Joe Fifer.

SPECIAL TELEGRAMS.

The REPUBLICAN is in receipt of the following special telegrams:

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., Nov. 7, 1:30 p. m.—New York safe for Harrison by 10,000; Indiana by 5,000. Private Joe Fifer is just in receipt of a telegram from Chicago stating that he will run 14,000 votes ahead of Palmer.

Special to the REPUBLICAN.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 7.—*Daily Republican:* Democrats concede this state for Harrison by ten thousand. Not a Democratic paper here but what gives it up. Republicans claim twenty thousand. O. E. CURTIS.

ATLANTA, GA., Nov. 7.—Hamsher & Mosser: "Shake!" H. C. CROSTHAITE.

Special to the REPUBLICAN.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7, 11:39 a. m.—Illinois gives the Republican electoral ticket about 18,000 majority. Fifer runs behind considerably, but is elected by safe figures, latest reports indicating from 6,000 to 10,000. Indiana Republican by 5,000 and New York by at least 10,000. The Democrats concede Harrison's election, and also that the next congress will be Republican in both branches. W. K. SULLIVAN.

Special to the REPUBLICAN.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 7.—*J. Millikin:* Both sides claim Indiana. My judgment at this hour is, Democratic on state ticket. The Republicans seem confident that the Harrison electors are elected. WM. B. BARFORD.

The Bulletins.

The following dispatches were received in Decatur this forenoon:

Indianapolis, Ind., 3:15 a. m. 300 precincts in Indiana, give Harrison 41,513, Cleveland 35,813. Same precincts in 1884 gave Blaine 38,788, Cleveland, 34,434.

Indianapolis, 9:50 a. m.—360 precincts in Indiana give Harrison 51,131, Cleveland 45,610; same precincts in '84 gave Blaine 47,464, Cleveland 44,027.

New York, Nov. 7.—Erie county complete, excepting one district, Harrison's majority over Cleveland, 1,996; Hill's majority over Miller, 5,031. Tompkins county, complete, Harrison, 3,083, Cleveland, 3,098; Miller 5,197, Hill 3,846. Chemung county complete, not official, gives Cleveland 571 over Harrison, and Hill 999 over Miller. Greene county complete gives 150 plurality for Cleveland. Orleans county complete, Harrison 1,264, Cleveland 3,166.

The following telegrams were received and read at the court house after one o'clock this morning:

Ohio—513 precincts, not Democratic gain of 1687; total vote, 192,084.

New York—753 election districts in the state outside of Kings county give Hill 637,251; Jones, 7,780; Miller, 170,424. Same districts in 1885 gave Hill 116,450; Davenport, 141,293; Bascomb, 10,144.

Indiana—2:35 a. m.—250 precincts give Harrison 26,115; Cleveland, 21,873. Same precincts in 1884 gave Blaine 24,516; Cleveland, 21,408.

Tennessee—Nashville, 3d congressional district, doubtful, chances favor the Democrats. Memphis, city, Cleveland, 7,715; Harrison, 3,380; Democratic gain of 500. 248 townships, net Rep. gain, 6,687. Republican state central committee claim the state by 12,000 to 15,000.

Mississippi—Vicksburg, Catchings, Democrat, in 3d congressional district undoubtedly elected.

Louisiana—New Orleans complete, except 30 precincts. Cleveland 13,824, Harrison, 7,372.

Indiana—1:24 a. m.—80 precincts give Harrison 8,860; Cleveland, 7,791. Same precincts in 1884 gave Blaine 8,330, Cleveland 7,353.

Nebraska—Omaha—58 precincts outside city, Douglas county, Harrison 6,595, Cleveland 4,997.

Ohio—McStaro, Dem., for governor, running ahead of his ticket; Cincinnati: 626 precincts in Ohio, net Democratic gain, 1,502; 45 precincts of Columbus, Ohio, give Harrison a plurality of 632. (Bulletin.)

New York—850 election districts New York state outside New York and Kings county, Cleveland 163,615, Harrison 206,258, Fisk 9,683. Same districts in 1884, Cleveland 151,961, Blaine 184,498, St. John 2,028.

Indianapolis—100 precincts—Harrison 11,961, Cleveland 9,966; same precincts in 1884—Blaine 11,261 Cleveland 9,558.

St. Louis—90 precincts, towns and one county complete outside St. Louis give Cleveland 14,595, Harrison 14,373, Francis 16,550, Kimball 15,458, Fisk 113.

New York—828 election districts outside of New York and Kings counties—Cleveland 160,998, Harrison 202,814, Fisk 9,534; same districts in 1884—Cleveland 149,254, Blaine 181,526, St. John 8,826.

Democratic state committee have returns on governor from half-dozen counties as follows: Howard county gives Francis, democratic candidate for governor, 1200, Gavin 1700, Butler 300; loss of 1080; Franklin county shows a gain of 200. Cass county 30, Dunklin 100. Only meagre returns from state are expected to-night.

Indianapolis—120 precincts in Indiana—Harrison 14,657, Cleveland 12,125; same precincts in 1884—Blaine 13,681, Cleveland 11,688.

Detroit—300 voting districts outside of Detroit give Harrison 64,961, Cleveland 53,792; same district in '84—Blaine 56,882, Cleveland 53,444, St. John 7,089. Republican gain, 7,751.

New York—904 districts outside of New York and Kings counties—Cleveland 196,851, Harrison 222,569, Fisk 10,465; same districts in '84—Cleveland 163,457, Blaine 198,552, St. John 9,620.

Detroit—300 districts outside this city show a Republican gain of 2,751 over '84.

Nashville—The congressional representatives will be unchanged.

Covington, Ky.—City—Cleveland 4,020, Harrison 2,674; 4 precincts outside city—Cleveland 1008, Harrison 640. County estimated 1500.

West Virginia—Both parties claim the state. The result will not be definitely known for a day or two.

New York—Complete report of electoral issues corrected as follows: Harrison 105,726, Cleveland 162,981; Cleveland's majority 57,285.

New York—952 districts outside New York and Kings counties—Cleveland 189,406, Harrison 235,196, Fisk 1097; same districts in '84—Cleveland 174,138, Blaine 209,064.

Indianapolis—140 precincts—Harrison 17,151, Cleveland 14,212; same districts in '84—Blaine 16,316, Cleveland 13,754.

Des Moines, Ia.—200 precincts—Harrison 31,784, Cleveland 28,560. State Republican ticket probably elected by 150 to 200 majority, except railroad commissioner. No report given.

Illinois—335 precincts in Chicago—Harrison 85,822, Cleveland 58,553, Fifer 54,980.

Ohio—659 precincts—net Democratic gain 2,125; total vote, 255,865.

New York—It is said the Democrats will claim that state has gone for Cleveland and that he is elected; that he carried New Jersey and Connecticut. Also that Hill is elected.

Connecticut—135 towns including New Haven, Hartford, Bridgeport, Waterbury, Meriden, New Britain, New London and Norwich give Harrison a gain of 785.

Illinois—286 precincts outside of Cook county show a net Republican of 2,588. If maintained throughout the state Harrison's plurality will be about 25,000. Palmer, democratic candidate for governor, shows large gains, but present figures indicate the election of Fifer, republican, by about 5,000 to 8,000 plurality; but this is uncertain.

New York *Herald* editorial says: Indications are that at the hour of going to press Harrison is elected to the Presidency. Albany City complete gives Cleveland 13,259; Harrison, 10,332; Fisk, 79. In 1884 Albany gave Cleveland 11,322; Blaine, 10,022; St. John, 56.

ST. LOUIS.—99 precincts and towns and one county complete in Missouri outside of St. Louis give Cleveland 15,605, Harrison 15,172; Francis 17,556, Kimball 16,270; Fisk 114; Streeter 1624. In 1884, Cleveland, 15916, Blaine 15,512.

OHIO—721 precincts net Dem. gain, 2447; total vote, 288,357.

NEW YORK—692 election districts in New York state outside of New York and Kings counties, Cleveland 186,044, Harrison 252,757; Fisk 11,395. Same districts in 1884, Cleveland 180,715; Blaine 216,298; St. John 10,692.

INDIANA—3.10 a. m.: 160 precincts give Harrison 20,267, Cleveland 16,658. Same precincts in 1884 gave Blaine 190,003, Cleveland 16,318.

CONNECTICUT—136 towns in Connecticut give Harrison 880 gain; the 29 towns to be heard from gave a plurality of 602 in '84; if the same plurality is given this year Harrison will carry the state by 198 plurality.

MICHIGAN—Detroit: Later returns do not materially change Harrison's majority in the state.

Illinois—The election of Post, Rep., for congress in the 10th Ill. district, is conceded by Worthington, his democratic opponent.

California—103 precincts outside of cities give Harrison 4,149, Cleveland, 3,853. On account of change in precincts cannot give comparison with '84.

New York—1023 election precincts in New York state outside of New York and Kings counties give Cleveland 202,581, Harrison 250,210; Fisk 11,619. Same districts in '84 gave Cleveland 186,267, Blaine 223,014; St. John 11,069.

Connecticut—Associated Press dispatch says: Returns not all in but Connecticut probably for Cleveland by a small plurality. The Republicans gain one congressman in the state and both houses of the legislature are Republican.

Virginia—About one-half of the state heard from which show Republican gains of 2,000.

New York—1029 election districts in the state outside of New York and Kings counties, Hill, 206,315; Miller, 236,074, Jones, 10,048. Same districts in '85 gave Hill 163,493, Davenport 189,552, Bascom 13,051.

New York—Tioga county with 8 districts missing, Cleveland 2722, Harrison 3667. Districts not heard from gave Cleveland 777, Blaine 1001 in '84. Madison county, one district to hear from, Cleveland, 4,599, Harrison 7,037; missing district gave Cleveland 70 and Blaine 111 in '84.

A Question of Neck.

Here's a good one: A leading Democrat standing in a crowd was approached this morning by another Bourbon to hear the latest. "Well," said he, "it is neck and neck in New York, neck and neck in Indiana, neck and neck in Connecticut and the same in New Jersey." A boozy Democrat in the crowd here interrupted the conversation to say, as he swaggered about, "Hurrah for Cleveland! You say it is neck-and neck. Well, if that's the size of it, old Grover'll get there, you bet. Nobody can get away with him on neck."

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Madge Walmsley, of Terra Haute, is a guest of Mrs. J. E. Saxton.

Mrs. S. P. Hoy is at Springfield visiting her son, Ed. M. Hoy.

John Lindsay was on the sick list yesterday.

S. D. Smith, of Cerro Gordo, was in Decatur to-day, hearing the returns.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pratt left for Chicago this noon to be absent a week or two.

Dr. Buck, Jud Combs and George Daugty, of Moawequa, haven't gone home yet. They came up last evening o hear the returns.

Miss Minnie Fearn, of Columbus, Ohio, departed for her home last night. She has been visiting Miss Carrie Fearn, Mrs. D. C. Shockley and Mrs. I. N. Coltrin.

C. O. Judson and Dr. Roe were among the voters who moved out of their precincts yesterday, but not before each had cast his ballot for the straight Republican ticket.

Bob Oglesby came down from Chicago last evening to cast his vote in the eleventh district. Harry M. Moore voted in the fifth district. He came in from Chicago on the morning train.

Mrs. Eliza P. Jacobs, the venerable mother of the well-known Sunday-school organizers and workers, Messrs. B. F. and W. R. Jacobs of Chicago, died Monday at Chicago. The body was taken to-day to Goshen, Ind., for burial.

THE Decatur Musical College guarantees a thorough course in Vocal, Violin, Piano, Organ and Harmony. Pupils may enter at any time. Corner Main and William streets. sep4-dtf

VOTE OF MACON COUNTY, 1888.

Precincts.	President. Harrison, R.	Cleveland, D.	Fisk, P.	Streeter, L.	Governor. Fifer, R.	Palmer, D.	Harris, P.	Jones, L.	Lieut. Governor. Gray, R.	Bohl, D.	Whitlock, P.	Colby, L.	Secy. of State. Lawson, R.	Hickle, D.	Hinson, P.	Hoberstein, L.	Auditor. Tanny, R.	Welch, D.	Copp, P.	Collins, L.	Treasurer. Hocker, R.	Hoffman, D.	Hatch, P.	Barnett, L.	Atty General. Hinn, R.	Creighton, D.	Andrews, P.	Dill, L.	Congress. Howell, R.	Stewart, D.	Smith, P.	Jones, R.	Mem. State Board. Vandeberand	Gaston, P.	Brunsdon, L.	Representatives. Keifer, R.	Kretzinger, R.	Hill, D.	Hyam, D.	Caldwell, P.	State's Atty. Mills, R.	Webber, D.	Dunton, P.	City Clerk. McClellan, R.	Williams, D.	Stoughton, P.	Sheriff. Lorton, R.	Tucker, D.	Winters, P.	Coroner. Bentley, R.	McLean, D.	Hershberger, P.	For Banking Law.	Against Banking Law.	Total.
Decatur—1st District	118	102	5	3	118	102	5	3	115	101	4	3	118	102	5	3	118	102	5	3	118	102	5	3	118	102	5	3	118	102	5	3	118	102	5	3	118	102	5	3	118	102	5	3	118	102	5	3	118	102	5	3	118	102	5	3	118	102	5	3
2d	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1	80	129	9	1
3d	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1	54	96	6	1
4th	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1	50	61	2	1
5th	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1	72	74	1	1
6th	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1	66	91	1	1
7th	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1	58	58	1	1
8th	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1	69	69	1	1
9th	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1
10th	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1	113	113	1	1
11th	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15	1050	1025	25	15
Austin	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1	115	151	4	1
Blue Mound	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2	328	304	8	2
Friends Creek	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1	156	156	2	1
Hickory	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1	106	106	1	1
Harristown	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1	153	153	1	1
Long Creek	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1	156	156	1	1
Macon—2d District	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1
Maroa—3d	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1	152	152	1	1
Milam	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1	95	95	1	1
Mt. Zion	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1	172	172	1	1
Niantic	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1	96	96	1	1
Pleasant View	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1
Wheatland	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1	115	115	1	1
Whitmore	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1	136	136	1	1
Total	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35	4650	4725	75	35

GETTING THE RETURNS.

Joyous Republicans and Doleful Democrats—Grover's a Goner.

Times were exceedingly lively in Decatur last night, all interest being centered in the great political battle of ballots which prevailed throughout the country during the day. To-day the interest continues at fever heat, though at this writing there is nothing but victory in the air for the Republicans, who have reliable assurances that Gen. Harrison has carried New York state by 10,000 to 20,000, Indiana by 5,000 to 10,000, Connecticut by 500, California and possibly New Jersey making a solid North against a solid South, just as it should be. Returns were received to-day by the Republicans at the court house and at this office, where great crowds have been gathered all the afternoon. At the Democratic headquarters only a few boys and strikers linger about to hear the news which makes them sick.

AT THE COURT HOUSE.

By far the largest and most intensely interested political crowd of any campaign crowded into the circuit court room to the walls and doors last night, from 7:30 o'clock until 2 o'clock this morning. It was a Republican crowd, cheering and happy, and they had a right to be jolly, for when the returns came in from the 2,408 rural districts in the great Empire state, the Harrison gains pointed strongly to a glorious victory for the sheets. While the Democrats were feeling glum at the club headquarters, the feeling of the Republicans at the court house was just the reverse. The most sanguine Republican voters placed Ben's probable plurality in New York at about 25,000, and many went home believing that the Republicans had not only carried New York, but also Connecticut and Indiana. The dispatches were received with fair regularity from the Western Union telegraph office, the bulletins being duplicated by those received by the Democrats. They were read by J. R. Mosser, while Hugh Cree and K. H. Roby made computations that were especially interesting to those in the immediate vicinity of the judge's desk. It was extremely difficult for the reader at times to proceed with the reading of the bulletins. The crowd was ready to yelp at any bit of news, and it was done right and left with a hearty good will. Now and then squads of Democrats would come into the room in hope of getting a grain of comfort. They didn't stay

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Chester Elisha Lapham, Montgomery, Ala.

(Boots and Shoes)

I have run three large retail shoe resorts ago for thirteen years and have used all makes you have mentioned, viz. Woonsocket and Candee and Lycoming, others, as we had a very large rubber trade. I will say I think as a rule the Lycoming have ever used—both better style and more good rubber in them than any I ever used before. I always used the Boston, and they are in my opinion next to Woonsocket and Candee would rather use them than any other goods. March 10 1887

S. Lite, Oberlin, O.

(Boots and Shoes)

Yours of the date February 4 received this evening. It happened at the time for a gentleman came into my store and wanted a pair of rubber overs. I told him I had a pair of Lycoming rubbers to sell him, and had worn them quite a while. I was out of your make. The Lycoming rubbers of Lycoming Rubber Co have given general satisfaction. I can say for them that if you had been in store I would have recommended you to get my rubber in Cleveland, stay the Boston make. I never handled a lot of rubbers that seem to wear so well as the Lycoming rubbers in my time for over 20 years in the boot and shoe business. Next season I shall try to handle more. March 5 1887

W. S. Spencer, Petoskey, Michigan.

(Boots and Shoes)

Replying to yours of the 17th inst. my opinion of the Lycoming goods bought of you season is that the quality is superior to other boots, Candee or Wales Goodyear.

These makes were all sold by me last year and I found that the Lycoming rubbers exceeded them all for durability. Of the fair vintage of the Lycoming seemed to be that they were made from a pure quality of rubber and were of extra weight.

I certainly want the handling of the goods an other season if the quality is felt up and hope the company will meet with the success it deserves for making best goods. March 8, 1887

J. R. Bergen & Son, Red Bank, New Jersey.

(Boots and Shoes)

In reply to your inquiries concerning the Lycoming rubber goods we would say that in this locality it has for years past been difficult to sell any rubber boots but the Boston and Woonsocket, but this past season we put in a stock of the above makes also the Candee and Lycoming and, so far as we can learn the Lycoming have

J T Miers & Co, Schoharie, N Y

(Boots and Shoes)

[illegible] March 1887

E P McPeek Mount Cobb, Pa

(General Merchandise)

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W F Wagner & Co Coalport Pennsylvania

(Boots and Shoes)

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Herring & Weaver, Asheville North Carolina

(Boots and Shoes)

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S Sprietsma, Holland Michigan

(Boots and Shoes)

Yours of the 17th of February received. We are glad to say in reply that they have given better satisfaction than any other rubber we have handled. March 7, 1887

GIVING TO THE POOR

Degrading Effects of Public Charity—London's Modes of Relief

Those who are interested to examine the economic results of giving to the poor in England, Scotland and Ireland will find plenty of basis on the subject. The Encyclopædia Britannica contains a good article under the heading "poor law." So also other encyclopædias. The Scotch poor law is usually lauded and certainly it has been decreed the poor law of 1845. In some parts of Scotland there is ten times the poverty that there is in Ireland. That law has not helped England and the poor is recorded as a great failure. Those who had been in Parliament transferred the poor law to Central investigation [illegible] to quell the [illegible] such manner as did [illegible] Matters came to a [illegible] that the Harmen of Wick [illegible] their necessitated their [illegible] the evil [illegible] punish [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]